ALASKA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND GAME 103-90-10310

STREAM SURVEY SUMMARY

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Staney Creek Tuxekan Passage, Prince of IOC Wales Island MAP REF. Craig D-1 TRIBUTARY TO Tuxekan Passage ____MAIN DRAINAGE_ ORIGIN Mountains of Prince of Wales Is. LENGTH 20 kilometers WATERSHED AREA 1. FLOW RANGE 20 - 2.000 VELOCITY_____AVG. WIDTH 30 feet AVG. DEPTH 2 feet COLOR/TURBIDITY Muskeg brown FLOOD HEIGHT 12 - 14 feet 2. ACCESSIBILITY By boat or plane to stream mouth; logging roads in area 3. ACCESS STATUS National Forest 4. SECTION SURVEYED Lower 5 kilometers TRIBUTARIES Several unnamed STREAM GRADIENT Moderate 5. BOITOM TYPE Bedrock, gravel, sand 6. POOLS - DESCRIPTION & FREQUENCY Frequent excellent pools throughout 7. BARRIERS Semi barrier ("Silver Salmon Falls") 4 kilometers upstream from mouth. 8. SPAWING AREA Excellent throughout 9. BANK COVER Cedar, Spruce, Hemlock, Alder 10. WATERSHED TYPE Large, low mountain valley with extensive muskeg 11. FISH SPECIES SH Ct DV PS CS SS 12. FISHING HISTORY Locally known as one of the best steelhead streams on Prince of Wales Island. 13. FISHING INTENSITY Moderate 14. INVERTEBRATES_ ABUNDANCE_ 15. AQUATIC VEGETATION_____ 16. WATER USE____ 17. POLUTION____ SCHMIDT, APT 1923 MEMO TO FROM BOACCE - SS, PS, CS, CT, SH, RB, DU 18. REMARKS Supports an excellent run of spring steelhead. STEDELMAN, D. 1977 MEMO TO ARMSTRONG SHORT+BEHR. 1973, STREAM SURCEY 250-500 54 SS, PS, CS, CT, SH, DU 1960-1976 PEAK ESCAP. MARRIOTT + BLAND. 1973 MINNOW TRAP 63 - 84,000 PS survey - SS, PS, CS, CT, SH, RB, DO 60 - 12,000 CS COMM FISH - PS. CS

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	STREAM Staney Creek
	LOC. Tuxekan Passage Prince of Wales
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MAP REF. Craig D-4 L	at. 55 46' N LONG. 133 10' W _MAIN DRAINAGE TH 20 kmWATERSHED AREA
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2. ACCESSIBILITY Boat or float plane; loggin	ng roads in area
3. ACCESS STATUS National Forest	
4. SECTION SURVEYED Lower 6 km	
TRIBUTARIES Several unnamed	
5. BOTTOM TYPE Bedrock, gravel, some boulders	S STREAM GRADIENT Moderate %
6. POOLS - DESCRIPTION & FREQUENCY Excellent poo	ols in area surveyed
7. BARRIERS Semi barrier (Silver Salmon Falls)	4 km upstream
8. SPAWING AREA Excellent	
9. BANK COVERStumps of spruce, hemlock,	cedar
10. WATERSHED TYPE Large low mountain valley w	vith extensive muskeg
11. FISH SPECIES SH Ct DV PS CS SS	
12. FISHING HISTORY Locally known for its' exce	ellent trout and salmon fishing
13. FISHING INTENSITY Moderate	
14. INVERTEBRATES	
ABUNDANCE	
15. AQUATIC VEGETATION	
16. WATER USE	
17. POLUTION	
18. REMARKS Supports a run of sea-run cutthroat	·•
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